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## RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

## Dear Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action mailed January 9, 2005. The Examiner has required an election between Group I (as found in claims 1-27) and Group II (as found in claims 28-39). In accordance with this requirement, Applicant elects Group I as found in claims 1-27. This election is made without traverse.

If there are any questions regarding this election response that may clarified by telephone, the Examiner is requested to call the undersigned.

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